

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

KAMRON DYLAN DUANE COOPER,

Defendant.

Case No. CR20-015RSL

ORDER GRANTING
UNOPPOSED MOTION TO
CONTINUE TRIAL

This matter comes before the Court on “Government’s Unopposed Motion to Continue Trial.” Dkt. # 22. Having considered the facts set forth in the motion, and defendant’s knowing and voluntary waiver, the Court finds as follows:

1. The Court adopts the facts set forth in the unopposed motion. Dkt. # 22. Considering the recommendations made by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (“CDC”) and Public Health for Seattle and King County regarding social distancing measures and restrictions required to stop the spread of disease, at this time it is not possible to proceed with a jury trial in this case. See W.D. Wash. Gen. Orders No. 15-20, 18-20.

2. Due to the Court’s reduced ability to obtain an adequate spectrum of jurors, and the impact of the aforementioned public health recommendations on Court operations, the Court finds that a failure to continue the trial date in this case would likely result in a miscarriage of justice, as set forth in 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(B)(i). The Court also specifically finds that the ends of justice served by continuing the trial in this case outweigh the best interest of the public

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1 and the defendant in a speedy trial. See 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A); see also W.D. Wash. Gen.
2 Orders No. 15-20, 18-20.

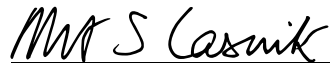
3 3. The Court finds that the additional time requested between March 22, 2021 and
4 the proposed trial date of July 19, 2021, is a reasonable period of delay.

5 4. Defendant has executed a waiver indicating that he has been advised of his right to
6 a speedy trial and that, after consulting with counsel, he has knowingly and voluntarily waived
7 that right and consented to the continuation of his trial to a date up to and including August 1,
8 2021, Dkt. # 23, which will permit his trial to start on July 19, 2021.

9 5. IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the trial date shall be continued from March 22,
10 2021 to July 19, 2021, and pretrial motions are to be filed no later than June 1, 2021;

11 6. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the period of time from the current trial date of
12 March 22, 2021, up to and including July 19, 2021, shall be excludable time pursuant to the
13 Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161, et seq. The period of delay attributable to this filing and
14 granting of this motion is excluded for speedy trial purposes pursuant to 18 U.S.C.
15 §§ 3161(h)(1)(D), (h)(7)(A), and (h)(7)(B)(i).

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17 DATED this 19th day of January, 2021.

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20 Robert S. Lasnik
21 United States District Judge
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